

**GOVT. ISSUES
STATEMENT ON
'HORROR MENACE'**

HOPPER MENACE

Federal and Provincial Authorities to Assist in Fighting Insects—Early Hoppers Said to be Not the Dangerous Kind.

Conference was held in connection with the situation last week by provincial and federal authorities. It was stated during the conference that farmers in the southern part of the province have been alarmed at the existence of grasshopper eggs this year. The officials pointed out and emphasized, however, that large numbers of grasshoppers may appear now, particularly along the river and in the south, but that these are a harmless species and so effort need be spent in poisoning them. In fact, they are more likely to be beneficial than a pest. It was pointed out that the officials were sure that any grasshoppers seen active before the middle of May and which are less than an inch or larger in size, are harmless.

Harmful Species
The harmful species of grasshopper, it was stated, will not hatch before the last 10 days in May, and farmers are warned to be on the watch for hatching grounds about that time. They will appear mainly on deserted farms, in weedy stubble fields, along roadsides and edges of fields, but not in long native grass.

The impression largely prevalent at present in the south that thousands of hoppers may be hatched from one egg was characterized by the authorities as absurd.

Danger Area
The area in which outbreaks may be expected to occur is restricted to having its northerly limit at a point between Alaska and Lovrina on the Saskatchewan border, west to Big Valley and Elmore, and across to the Calgary and Edmonton line near Olds.

From there the area runs south to Melvindale and Cardston, and east to the Canadian-American border at the National boundary. Areas in which the heaviest outbreak may be expected are in the Brooks-Jenness area, from the Canadian border north to Huxna, and from Lethbridge north to Arrowwood and east to Bow Island and south to Milk River.

Farmers are being urged to send

H. L. Scamann at Lethbridge, or to Professor Strickland at the University of Alberta, for a report as to species and harmfulness. They are asked to watch for hatching grounds, inspect their soils, and to send in samples of either eggs or hoppers at any time.

Farmers in the areas in which outbreaks are expected to occur who intend cropping stubble land, are also urged to give this land shallow cultivation as quickly as possible, and to

to this is often as possible before heading. This operation breaks up the pods and brings the eggs to the surface where the sun and warmth will dry them up.

As in former years, arrangements for the poisoning campaign are being made, and will be in effect as deemed necessary, it was said. The campaign will be directed by E. L. Gray, Edmonton, field crops commissioner.

In the solo competition there are

classes, for every grade; in the choruses there is a class for town schools and one for rural schools, and the same classification in action songs. For elocution there are classes in all grades and high school, and in dramatization there two classes in town schools, grades 1 to 4, and grades 5 to 8, with one class for rural schools.

Certificates will be awarded to first and second prize winners in all competitions.

10 GO TO JAIL FOR RIDING FREIGHTS

Two Pay Fines and Costs—Police Enforcing Law Against Riding the Freight Trains

Pleading guilty to a charge of

entering upon the C. P. R. premises with intent to get a free ride on the freight train, contrary to the Railway Act, twelve men appeared before Police Magistrate A. G. Bond in Bassano police court last Tuesday morning.

With strict orders to enforce the law prohibiting transients from riding on freight trains, Sergt. J. N.

Cawsey, R.C.M.P. officer, about 2:00 o'clock Tuesday morning arrested the twelve men whom he found in a box car in the C. P. R. yards. Two of the men, brothers, paid fines of \$5.00 and costs of \$3.50 each. The other ten were given a 14-day sentence in Lethbridge jail. All the men excepting two were under 26 years of age, most of them

The two brothers who paid their fines said they were on their way to Medicine Hat where they expected to get employment.

dance at Rosemary Friday evening.
 Caryl Gamble spent a few days at
 the Heldt home last week.
 Joan Gamble went to Gem the
 last of the week where she will at-
 tend school.
 Mrs. M. Ferguson and Maurine
 are visitors at the Bliss home on
 Saturday.
 H. D. Benjamin was a business
 visitor in Calgary on Tuesday.
 The close of the week was shipped
 from Coon Rapids, on Tuesday.
 A farewell party was given at the
 Routenburg Community Clubhouse on
 Thursday of last week. The hono-
 raries were A. E. Smith and Mr.
 Asar, both of Letham.

The people of Hussar will again hold their annual celebration and sports day on Victoria Day, May 24. This date has been Hussar's sports day for many years, and the big event always attracts a large crowd from the countryside and from

Plans are already being laid for the celebration, which will be held under the auspices of the Huasari

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Western Australia will take a referendum on secession from the rest of the Commonwealth. Populated chiefly by British immigrants, Western Australia feels her interests conflict with those living in the eastern and more thickly populated states where federal control lies. It's another case of the small producer handicapped by the masser having to sell on a free market and having to buy on a protected market. If Western Australia secedes it will be taking her fate and how she works out her own destiny.

A few generations ago the cry of secession would be treason, and an army would be dispatched to quell the rebels. Today it will be a battle of ballots.

Armed hostilities are still going on in north China. Nobody has yet declared war, but it looks like more than a polite argument.

The instalment system, scientists say, was used in ancient Europe. But Cheops never got the final payment on that swell pyramid.

Those who oppose salary reductions raise the cry that such a policy reduces the buying power of the people. This is not altogether a sound argument in the case of a city and its civil employees. The taxpayer in this case is an employer, and if he lowers salaries, he increases the buying power of himself and fellow taxpayers.

THEY DON'T STAP PUT

It is difficult to see what good is being accomplished by the government's ban against transient unemployed riding the freight trains. It was supposed to be a means for preventing the unemployed from drifting all over the country, but it actually doesn't succeed in doing so. The men ride the freight trains, and although some are arrested and sent to jail, many more succeed in eluding the police.

During the winter months the movement of transients on freight trains was small, but now that spring has arrived they are again on the move.

Anyone with a spark of humanity in his system can't help feeling sorry for these bits of human driftwood. It is doubtful if even the police and police magistrates, whose duty it is to enforce the ban, have anything but sympathy for the ride stealers.

They have no work, most of them are entirely destitute and starve and forced to beg for a living. We don't blame them to be sick of the headlines for wanting to get out and look for an honest, decent living. The freight train provides the most convenient, and in some places, their only means of travel.

Against the law to travel that way. Last week twelve of these unfortunate were arrested in Bassano. They paid fine and ten were sent to jail for two weeks. These men are not criminals. They should not even be classed as lawbreakers for they were looking for work and moving from place to place by the old-fashioned and reliable box car route.

Seending them to jail will not teach them respect for the law. It is more likely to arouse feelings of bitter resentment against the authorities for making jailbirds out of honest men who have been sorely battered by the depression but are still fighting for the right to live.

(Clareholm Local Press)

No doubt it seems to many as preposterous for a lowly country newspaper to question the economic arguments set forth by Jackson Dods, general manager of the Bank of Montreal, whose speech was broadcast from Winnipeg when he addressed the board of trade there on Friday. For the most part, his speech was pretty sound, but when he touched upon the gold standard and inflation he immediately ranted off into abuse of all promising reformers and those who would place a finger upon the existing bank act. It seems strange to us that the Canadian financier is so much more clever than the British financier who has behind him the tradition and experience of centuries of foreign trade. Yet the British financiers through the Macmillan Commission deliberately advised the government to adopt a "controlled" system of inflation. When Jackson Dods in his speech admitted that Canada was under inflation in the period following his war, he was well justified the creditor's position in seeking payment of inflated obligations in the medium of deflated currency—which is the great problem of the debtor class today. Dods and his class cry out against the government's inflationary policy, with business, or rather in merchandising. It is just as illogical for a government to ask a set price on gold as it is to ask a set price on wheat, butter, cheese, and shoes.

Anyway, a Bird
The Boy (at the Window Zoo)
"I say, isn't this 'ere a heagle?"
Drumming (unintentionally)
"No dear, that air a howl."
Keeper (compassionately reviling)
"You ain't none of you right here. It's an 'awk."

Another on the Scotoman
The Scotoman had fallen into the wall, and while swimming around in it, he called to his wife. She came floating to him and asked:
"What I call the bird man from the club that he may pull you out?"
"What time is it?" he asked her.
"Eleven-fifty," said his wife.
"Well, never mind," he said. "I'll swim around until dinner time."

Don't get on what you feel in your boxer—unless it's rheumatism.

In the Garden
Gordon Lindsay Smith

Fighting Weeds

In gardening a good commercial fertilizer is a splendid ally in fighting weeds. Usually it is in the pockets that the most trouble occurs, and it is then cases out of 'em it is because there is little plant food in the soil that lawns are thin and the grass is mixed with dandelion, plantain, and other weeds. Cultivation is splendid for destroying weeds and conserving moisture, but this is impossible in a lawn and lawns are the vegetable and flower garden. Along with weeding and hoeing should be given some extra food for the plants so that these may have an opportunity of outgrowing the weeds. Very often a liberal application of some good fertilizer, rich in nitrogen, will start grasses bounding ahead and in a few weeks the weeds have been smothered. While any fertilizer is a good thing in ordinary gardening and well rotted manure is one of the best, only commercial fertilizer or specially treated pulverized sheep manure can be recommended for lawns. Ordinary manure is usually filled with weed seeds whereas the special sheep kind is thoroughly steamed before being put up for the garden trade, and this steaming kills any weed seeds.

In the vegetable patch it is essential that all things, and especially salad and root crops, be grown quickly. This assures tender, crisp radishes, lettuce, carrots, and other things, and here again good fertilizer, soil cultivation, and possible watering during dry weather, are essential.

A Flower Calendar

The well balanced flower garden



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Just as long as the specific cause of cancer remains unknown, the treatment of this disease will be limited to the avoidance of those conditions which seem to favor the occurrence of cancer, and to the treatment of other conditions which may precede the development of cancer.

A chronic inflammatory condition appears most commonly as a pre-cancerous state, arising out of the long continued action of an irritant which may be a mechanical, a physical or a chemical agent, or be produced by some bacteria or germs. Cancer of the mouth and adjacent parts of the head and neck is usually the result of mechanical irritation. Cancer of the lip occurs more frequently in men than in women. One form of irritation of the lips is caused by the hot iron pipe with a broken end. Inside the mouth, a long-continued irritation may arise from broken teeth or poorly-fitted dentures.

Chemical irritants affect the skin chiefly, and so there are skin cancers associated with certain occupations which favor exposure to such irritants. Physical irritants act in the same way. Before the X-rays were understood, a number of the early workers in this field developed cancer as a result of over-exposure. Now that the dangers are known, the necessary precautions are taken and this danger no longer exists.

The chronic inflammatory state arising out of the presence of bacteria is the most important of the predisposing factors. When the neck of the uterus is damaged in childbirth the injury should be properly repaired. If this is not done bacteria may keep up a chronic irritation and it is such conditions that are found frequently to precede the development of cancer in this part of the body.

Wherever there are chronic ulcers whether of the stomach or the skin there is danger that the persistent irritation may favor the occurrence of cancer. The term of syphilis in its late stages, if not properly treated may act as a chronic irritant and, as such, cause cancer of the tongue and other parts.

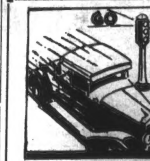
Cancer of the breast is frequently preceded by an irregular hardness or knobby condition of the breast. Unfortunately this is usually painless and is therefore, commonly neglected although demanding prompt attention.

It is obvious that we have it in our own power to prevent certain chronic irritations and, by proper treatment, to have other conditions corrected. Action along these lines will be rewarded by assurance of removal of the danger of cancer, which might have developed if care had not been taken.

Not Scholar, But Business Man
After a terrific struggle, the Freshman finally finished his term paper, and then at the end wrote:
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Good Seed is Foundation

Good seed is the very foundation of good gardening and without the only factor over which the owner has absolute control. As the cost in any case is but a few cents there should be no temptation to sacrifice quality, but only the very best should be used, and this obtained from Canadian sources which cater in Canadian conditions. Seed sown from the home garden cannot be recommended. Unless one goes to the trouble of screening individual flowers from insects, and cross-pollinating, it is absolutely impossible to prevent mixing of colors in flowers and of types in vegetables. In order to secure earliness, and quality, it is often necessary that seed be secured from a source where the season is much longer than in most parts of Canada.

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THIRTEENTH INSTALLMENT

For a moment she thought he was going to strike her, then he smiled and fell to his side. "I'll make you pay my God, I'll make you pay to the last farthing!" he shouted, and was gone.

Pauline stayed with her mother for a week.

She was not unhappy, but she was restless and preoccupied.

"It's as if someone was walking over my grave," she told her mother once, with a little excited laugh. "Do you believe in premonitions, Mamma? I never used to, but just lately I've had the sort of feeling that something is going to happen, something—something I shan't like. It's not Dennis—he's written every other day, and he's quite well," she laughed. "Dennis writes such funny letters, Mamma—you really would think he's shy of me!"

Pauline's mother smiled. She could not quite make up her mind about her daughter's marriage. Pauline seemed happy enough. "The first year of marriage is always a little difficult," her mother said gently, "and I think my little girl is managing very well from what I can hear." She paused, then asked, "And what is Dennis doing in New York without you?"

"Oh, I think he's quite all right," Pauline said. "Dr. Stornaway is up there, you know, and that's nice for Dennis. And then there is Barbara, of course, I think he's seen her once or twice."

"Poor Barbara!" said Pauline's mother. The girl looked up quickly. "Why do you say that?" she asked.



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asked, "Barbara's quite happy—at least I think she is. She's got a nice man she goes about with, his name is Jerry Davis. He's doing her, but I don't think she cares very much for him. But there is someone she loves. She told me so once. I wonder who it is," she added almost to herself.

"I don't think Barbara is a very faithful lover," Pauline's mother said, but this Pauline would not allow. "She'll! I understand her. Once she really loves anyone, nothing would ever change her. Of course she doesn't wear her heart on her sleeve."

She said something of the same sort to Peterkin when he arrived to dinner one night, having driven 40 miles through the cold and rain to see her. They had dinner alone, as Pauline's mother was still in bed.

"It's nice to see you, Peterkin," Pauline said. She hoped he thought she looked well and happy. She had put on one of her prettiest frocks in his honor and she wore the pearl necklace Dennis had given her for a wedding present.

"Still as radiant as happy?" Peterkin asked.

"Of course. Dennis is a darling," said Pauline's wife.

Peterkin emptied his wineglass. "Why isn't he here?" he asked bluntly.

Pauline flushed. "He would have come—he wanted to come, only I knew it would be so dull for him with Daddy away. He would have come only I persuaded him not to."

"I see," Pauline was offended. She thought Peterkin was silly to be so old-fashioned.

"Mrs. Stark looking after him?" Peterkin said suddenly.

"I asked her to," Pauline said quickly, and then wondered why she had spoken defensively, and then quite suddenly a wave of sheer homesickness for Dennis swept over her.

"Smile, Mr. Stark, your thoughts," Peterkin said suddenly, and Pauline felt her eyes suddenly filling with tears as she answered, "Nothing. I was just wondering if Dennis is missing me as much as I miss him."

Peterkin winced: he had not yet got used to the fact that Pauline was married, and her love for O'Hara still hurt him.

"Of course he is," he said loyally. "He'll be jolly glad to have you back."

And Pauline brightened instantly and flushed and dimpled and talked eagerly of her own little home. Then she broke off and flushed, and Peterkin kept his eye on his plate. Pauline hurriedly changed the subject.

It came to her mind when she was undressing that night, and she sat down on the side of the bed and stared down at the carpet, lost in thought. Would Dennis be pleased if there was to be a baby? She had never heard him say he would like a son, for of course it would be a son—a son, with Dennis' eyes, and his way of laughing. Pauline's simple mind leaped ahead and was lost in a mist of rosy dreams.

Barbara could be godmother of course, and perhaps dear old Peterkin would be godfather, and if it was a boy they would call it Dennis Peterkin O'Hara.

And then she cried a little because the dream was so beautiful and because she felt she did not deserve to be so happy, and then she kissed Dennis' picture, which stood in its old place beside her bed, and then she knelt down and said her prayers.

Dennis always teased her about her prayers.

"Such a baby," he said, but she had a kind of feeling that all the same Dennis liked her to pray for him.

And she prayed for him now in simple faith and love, and she prayed for Barbara, too, little dreaming that at that very moment those two were for her sake, fighting desperately against their passionate love for each other.

Pauline slipped into bed and fell asleep almost at once, only to wake about two hours later with a fast beating heart and a feeling of fear.

"Dennis!" She sat up in bed, and opened her eyes, and in the silent room, stretching out her arms. For an instant she was almost sure he had been there close beside her, once he had come to her in trouble, great trouble, bearing something of

her—something—
"Oh, what is it, darling, darling?" Pauline whispered in an agony of dread.

But in the morning she laughed at her fears, for there was a letter from Dennis in which for the first time he said that he missed her—and only God knew what an effort it had cost him to write those words—and asking how much longer she meant to be a dancer.

"Dennis doesn't mean anything," Pauline told herself happily. "He said he missed her, and he came with the salmon for dinner." She spent a happy day. The doctor said her mother was better, and there was a wire from her father to say he was returning, and Pauline wrote a long letter to Dennis. "It will be wonderful, won't it?" she wrote with trembling eagerness. "I think I love you better than ever I did—if it's at all possible, darling, often wonder how I managed ever to be so happy before we married me, and if anything happened that we were separated, Dennis, I should die."

O'Hara's face twitched as he read her loving words, and for a moment he looked away from what he was reading, wondering why it was he could not rid himself of the feeling that this letter was no truly written to him at all.

He had seen Barbara every day, but she had never yet allowed him to go to her flat, and that morning, looking at himself in the glass while he shaved, it seemed to Dennis that he had aged years in these few days.

Pauline's letter had come by evening post, and Dennis was dressed to go out—he was taking Barbara and Stornaway to dinner.

Barbara had refused to come alone. "Bring Dr. Stornaway," she said. "Are you never coming along with me again?" Dennis had asked, but she had not replied.

He speed started down into the city, smoking cigarette after cigarette, and trying to see beyond the immediate present. Was there to be any beyond Barbara would not tell him, and he himself could not find the answer.

When Pauline came back perhaps they would find, or she would find it for them. The telephone rang. Was it Barbara, to say she could not dine with him? His heart almost seemed to stop beating as he waited, and then he caught his breath in a great gasp of relief as he knew it

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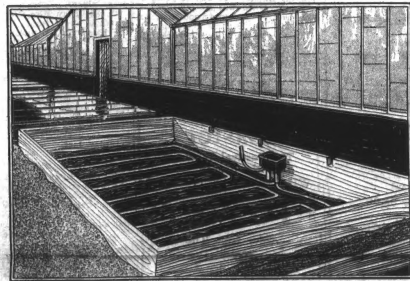
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Joseph Cerny Sr. has booked an auction sale to be held at his farm one and a half miles north of Coonville, next Saturday afternoon. The list of goods to be auctioned includes: fine horses, cattle, hogs, poultry, farm machinery, and a few house-hold goods.

Mr. Cerny Sr., who is caretaker of Coonville, is turning the farm over to his son who will operate it this year.

What We Really Need
What the country really needs is not a good live cat, clear, but a practical, non-voting telephone cord.

Boys' Sweaters

Just arrived—luxurious pattern boys' pullover in pure wool, size 28 to 48; splendid. 10-12-14.
price - \$1.35

Men's Shirts

Very neat pattern; collar attached style; broadcloth dress shirts; 10-12-14.
price - \$1.45

Kaysor Gloves

The Leatherette and Velveteen gloves, in the new gamut style. All white, black & white, mocha, etc.
price - 75c and \$1.00

Silk Hosiery

A few lines to clear. Good for morning hose, value to \$1.25.
special - 69c a pair

Table Oilcloth

Bright new patterns for spring. Blues, yellow, and greens; cut 45 inches wide;
50c per yard

Curtain Scrim

Bright spots for kitchen and bathroom use; 36 inches wide, 25c a yard
6 yards for \$1.00

Scatter Rugs

18 x 36, very handy size, for between dining, etc.
price - 25c

GROCERIES

FRUIT SPECIAL, 1 can Peaches, 1 can Pears, 1 can Sliced Pineapple, 1 can Cherries, all for... 59c

MIXED SPECIAL, 1 can Tomatoes, 1 can Corn, 1 can Pork and Beans, all for... 39c

DOLLAR SOUP, standard weight... per box 39c
CASCO, POTATO FLOUR, pkg. 20
METAL POLISH, Golden Boy, per tin... 15c
STOVE POLISH, per bottle 20c
DRY CLEANER, non-explosive, removes spots, per bottle... 50c
COFFEE, a splendid offer, 3lbs. for... \$1.00

TEA, Our Special Broken Orange Pekoe, with... per lb. 50c
TEA, Family Special, per lb. 35c
CHEESE, Siltion, per lb... 25c
BAKERY... per box 50c

BAKING POWDER, Blue Ribbon... 3 lb. tin... 75c
MUFFETS, whole wheat bran, breakfast food... 2 pkgs. 25c
SPECIAL, 2 tins Royal Crown Cleaner, 1 pkg. Palm Olive Soap Flakes, all for... 25c

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

ORANGES, large, sweet and juicy... 3 dozen \$1.00
BANANAS... 2 lbs. 25c
APPLES, Delicious, per box \$1.50
Ripe Tomatoes, Lettuce, Celery, Cauliflower, Green Onions.

JAMES JOHNSTON

CROWFOOT NEWS

CHICKENFOOT, April 13—The first annual game of the season was played last Sunday when the Makepeace Hunters defeated the Crowfoot Creepers 7-5 in a close game played on the Crowfoot diamond. The boys are playing a return game at Makepeace next Sunday and we hope for better results. The boys were rather hot-headed last Sunday, but perhaps they'll warm up with the season. No women's team.

Mrs. I. Hoffmeyer and Miss Blaney left by motor for Seattle, Wash., last Friday. Mrs. Hoffmeyer received word that her father was seriously ill.

Carl Sykes, who has been working at Coonville for the past six months, back in this vicinity again. Mr. and Mrs. Vandorale and Mrs. McLaughlin and Marjorie, of Queenstown, spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoffmeyer.

Farming operations are being held back by the unsettled weather. Howard Larch and his Red Peppers are playing for a dance in Milo on April 17, and in Clifty on the 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hostetler were business callers in Bassano last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake Robertson are the proud parents of a baby boy. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gayett and family and Carl Sykes spent Thursday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Campbell.

Mrs. E. Brookes and Mrs. Stone were callers in Bassano last Monday. A number from this vicinity attended the play and dance in Bassano last Friday night.

Watch for the date of the Crowfoot football game. It's going to be when you hear about it. Be sure and come.

OBITUARY

Frederick John Hartmann, of Clifty, died in the Bassano Hospital Monday morning, March 28, after a lengthy illness. He was 83 years of age.

Deceased was an old friend of the Clifty and Arrowwood districts, and had a wide circle of friends.

Funeral services were held in Knox Presbyterian Church, Bassano, on Tuesday, March 30, with Rev. P. C. McCarra in charge. The service was attended by many relatives and friends. The remains were shipped to Whitehall, Wisconsin, for interment.

Easter

The Festival Week of the Season
WHY NOT SAY IT WITH Flowers

order from The Bassano Nursery
We have on hand—EASTER LILIES, POTTED FLOWERS, and FERNS

Carnation Special for Easter—\$1.50 per dozen
Your patronage will be greatly appreciated

REMEMBER: We are agents for PATMORE NURSERY at Brandon

Bassano Nursery

NOTICE is hereby given that, under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act, 1929, the Village of Hassar will offer for sale, by public auction, at the office of the Secretary Treasurer, Hassar, Alta., on Monday, the 18th day of May, 1933, at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon, the following lands:

Lot 5, 6 and 7, Block 4, Plan 6780A.

Each parcel will be offered for sale subject to a reservation and subject to the reservations contained in the existing certificate of title.

Retention may be effected by payment of arrears on taxes and costs at any time prior to the date of sale.

Dated at Hassar, Alta., this 15th day of April, 1933.

Mrs. Caroline Duerksen, secretary treasurer.

AUCTION SALE of JOS. CERNY Sr.

1½ miles south of Gem School
Sat. April 15, 1933
12:30 p.m. sharp

HORSES - CATTLE MACHINERY Feed, Auto, etc.

TERMS CASH
BILLY BOYCE, auctioneer
R. A. Travis, clerk

Schmidt's Transfer
Calgary to Brooks

Service Each way
Tuesday - Thursday - Saturday
Leave Brooks 9 a.m.
Leave Calgary 7 a.m.
Freight Service Anywhere on Main Highway
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CALGARY

BASSANO SERVICE

Bassano service and communion will be held in the Knox Presbyterian Church on Easter Sunday at 11:30 a.m. A service of song and prayer will be held at 7:30 p.m.

There will be service in the Anglican Church on Good Friday at 11 a.m., and Easter Communion will be held at 8 a.m. on Easter Sunday, on April 15, at 11 a.m.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boyce on Saturday, April 8, at the Bassano Hospital.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Penner, of Rosemary, Saturday, April 8, at the local hospital.

HOSPITAL NOTES
Mrs. B. W. Ford has been in the hospital since last Friday. She is suffering with a severe attack of the flu.

Miss Ann Ravey is a hospital patient, being ill with the flu, while Mrs. Davis Jr. has an attack of the flu and was admitted to the hospital on Wednesday.

Mrs. F. W. Vermillion, of Husar, was admitted as a patient to the local hospital on Wednesday.

GEM NEWS
GEM, April 13—Gem Sunday school services are being very well attended on Tuesday afternoon.

Several members of the community attended the dance in Duchesne on Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Griev are planning to return to Scotland about the end of this month.

Mrs. Baird and Alcock, of the C.P.R. D.N.R., were in the colony on Tuesday afternoon, loading of sheep and other deals.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson are moving from Bassano to Gem during this week, and will farm the Makepeace place.

On Saturday Miss Gladys Portney returned home from Calgary, where she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Buchanan were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson.

Mrs. Peters and baby returned home from the Bassano Hospital on Saturday last.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank all our friends who were so kind to us in our recent bereavement, and more especially those who were so considerate to our father during his long illness.

The Hermann Family.

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. P. C. McCarra, Minister
"The Church Where Everybody Feels at Home."

Sunday, April 16th, 1933
10 a.m.—Sunday School
11:30 a.m.—Easter Service and Communion Service

7:30 p.m.—Special Service of Song and Praise, Short Easter address by the Minister.

Come to Church on Easter Sunday, Everybody Welcome

Hot X Buns
25c per doz.
every day this week

Special for Saturday only
CREAM PUFFS and CHOCOLATE ECLAIRS
35c per doz.

APPLE PIES... 25c each
RHUBARB PIES... 25c each
LEMON CUP CAKES... 30c per dozen

Cakes, Cookies, Buns, and Rolls

ICE CREAM and ICE CREAM BRICKS
Easter Specialties

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Keeping in Step With Spring
PRINTELLA WASH FROCKS

This is a great cotton gown, and if the interest shown in wash frocks is any indication, Velles, Floral Broadcloths and Print Wash Frocks will have a great run this season.

Smart Floral Print Wash Frocks

Good quality materials; all new style, well made and finished.
special - 79c each

"PRINTELLA" Wash Frocks

Excellent quality Floral Prints, tabbed "Printella," and guaranteed sun- and tub-fast. Smart, new style.
special - 98c each

"Printella" Broadcloth Dresses

Best quality Broadcloth in Floral, New Stripes and Pique designs; in very smart new styles, suitable for afternoon wear. All guaranteed sun- and tub-fast.
special, \$1.95, \$2.95

New Low Prices For Silk Hosiery

The new Imperial Twist Hosiery quality silk hose are outstanding for appearance, wear, and new low prices.

Full Service Weight

With French Heel, Cradle Foot, Full Fashioned. Comes in all the new shades—Sun-Up, Sun-Down, In-Between, All-Spice, etc.
new low price - \$1.25 a pair

Semi-Service Weight

New Imperial Twist. Comes in all the new season's shades; full fashioned. A beautiful stocking at a low price.
new low price - \$1.00 a pair

Sheer Chiffon Hose

A lovely very sheer silk hose; full fashioned; French Heel, Cradle Foot; all new colors.
new low price - 95c a pair

MEN'S WEAR

SPECIAL PURCHASE OF MEN'S FANCY CASHMERE SOCKS

Bought from the manufacturer at 25 per cent discount, and this we pass on to you.

Fancy Check Cashmere Socks

Of excellent quality and guaranteed to give satisfactory wear. Come in assorted fancy checks.
special - 20c a pair; 3 pairs for 55c

Fancy Check Cashmere Socks

A1 quality, smart, dressy socks; ideal for wear now. Come in new check and stripe designs.
special - 25c a pair; 3 pairs for 69c

Artsilk and Lisle Hose

An extra good quality Art Silk reinforced with fine lisle thread for strength. These are lovely socks at a low price. Come in fancy check designs.
special - 35c a pair; 3 pairs for 98c

DRESS OXFORDS

The well known Hart "Invader" quality; fine shag of black kid and calf, in new smart fitting last; three styles.
\$6.00 and \$6.50 a pair

NEW CAPS

for Men and Boys
Smart fitting new shapes in all the latest check, diagonal and diagonal tweeds
Men's - \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50
Boys' - 85c

Tip Top Suits

Now \$22.50

Come in and see all the newest materials and colors for spring and summer wear. Tailored to your own personal measurements. Perfect fit and absolute satisfaction guaranteed.

McKEE'S STORES

"Always at Your Service"

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GROCERY SPECIALS

Sat. & Mon.

April 15 & 17

STRAWBERRY JAM, Hamsterley Farm brand, ... 4 lb. tin .57

PLUM JAM, Hamsterley Farm, ... 4 lb. tin .47

COCOAMALT, a delicious flavor, large tin .63

65 piece Jig Saw Puzzle free.

GRATED CHEESE, Kraft's, in handy shaker tin, per tin .25

CANNED FISH, chicken Huddle, Brunswick brand ... 2 tins .31

PEANUT BUTTER, Squirrel brand, 2 lb. tin ... each .35

1 tall Mug free.

PINEAPPLE, Aylmer brand, fancy quality, crushed only, 8 oz tin .15

CANNED TOMATOES, Pride of Okanagan, 2 1/2 lb. tins, 3 tins .41

CANNED SAUSAGE, Burns' Shamrock brand, 1/2 lb. tin ... 2 for .45

SHELLED WALNUTS, whole halves, light meats ... per lb .37

DRIED FRUIT, Prunes, California, large size, 3 lbs. fed39

CANNED PUMPKIN, King Beach, choice, 2 1/2 lb. tins ... 2 for .27

CANDY, Marshmallows, strictly fresh, plain, toasted, or fruit, per lb25

COCOA, Fry's breakfast cocoa ... 1/2 lb tin .27

TEA, A. G. Broken Orange Pekoe, real value, per lb39

3 lbs. \$1.15

COFFEE, A. G. Vacuum pack ... 1 lb tin .47

TOILET SOAP, Almond Cocoa, large white bars ... 6 bars .47

SOAP CHIPS, White Wonder ... 3 lb bag .39

BLEACHING FLUID, Savage Water, removes tea and coffee stains from cotton or linen ... per bottle .19

Fruits and Vegetables

CELERY, California, 2 lbs. ... 25c

RHUBARB, B. C. hot-house ... 2 bundles 25c

CUCUMBERS, White Spine, large size, each ... 25c

HEAD LETTUCE, market uncertain

CAULIFLOWER, California ...

GREEN ONIONS and RADISHES, a bunch 5c

ORANGES, sweet and juicy ... 3 dozen 95c